





JAN.	FEB.	MAR.
APRIL	MAY	JUNE

## Every Month

In the year most women have to suffer for a week. At the best this suffering interferes with household activities and social enjoyments. At the worst it shuts the women up in a darkened room or confines her to bed. Most women can be completely rid of irregularities by the use of Dr. Price's Favorite Prescription. It regulates the periods, stops enfeebled drains and cures female weakness.

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JULY	AUG.	SEP.
OCT.	NOV.	DEC.

### BOURBON COUNTY ITEMS.

Bourbon county has 7 candidates for Jailer, 4 for Assessor and 2 for School Superintendent.

PARKS COURT.

About 200 head cattle were offered.

J. S. Wilson sold 35 1,000-lb. cattle to Dr. Mathers, at \$3 per hundred.

Jonas Well sold 50 700-lb. cattle to J. E. Clay, at 4¢, and 14 600-lb. cattle to J. C. Bryant, at \$3 per hundred.

Hibler Bros. sold 8 1,000-lb. cattle to Henry Caywood, at 3¢c.

W. L. Fieback sold \$1,000-lb. cattle to J. J. Redmon, at \$4 1/2 per hundred.

Mules were in good demand, the best bringing \$150 to \$165.

J. W. Young, of North Middletown, sold to Jas. C. Hamilton, of Modesto, Cal., one Bates bull, 3-year-old, for \$250.

T. J. Redmon sold to Caruthers & Beard, of Lexington, Monday, two pairs of 3-year-old mules for \$520, John Roseberry to same 3 head at \$150 each.

The congregation of the Paris Christian church will build a new house of worship in the spring at a cost of \$40,000. Subscriptions are already being solicited.

Might it not be suggested, if not kindly urged, that men as well as women should make up congregations of Paris? The attendance of women at union services for some time past, has been about 6 or 7 to 1.

Chas. Burns is quite ill with pneumonia at the residence of J. D. Martin.

Clay Ashbrook is seriously ill at his home near Roodell's Mill.

ENGAGEMENT.

"The Heights," the palatial home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. H. Clay, Sr., near Paris was the brilliant scene of a dinner party Saturday evening, January 5, which was the occasion for the announcement of the engagement of their handsome daughter, Miss Nannie Williams Clay, and Mr. Frederick Alfred Wallis. The groom-to-be is general manager of the Northwestern Life Insurance Company, with headquarters at Lexington.

Saturday's dinner at the Clay home was quite notable, a Lexington caterer furnishing the menu, and a Cinn. national orchestra discoursed music.

Dr. Julius Purnell, of Paris, has received notice to report at San Francisco, Cal., for duty in the Medical Corps to be assigned early in February to the Philippine Islands.

Dr. H. H. Roberts and family left for an extended stay in Europe, where the doctor will take special course in medicine and surgery.

A representative of the Independent Telephone Co., has been in Paris making arrangements to establish an exchange here.

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### BREVITIES OF FUN.

As the Count Understood.—He "You climbed me Matterhorn?" Zat was a great foot." She—"Great feet, you mean, count." He—"Ah! Zen you climb him more as once!"—Punch.

The Young Diplomat.—Mother—"No, Johnny, you have had pie enough." Johnny—"Mother, it is impossible to have enough of your pie." He gets another piece.—Boston Transcript.

"I don't see how she could spend time to go to the theater yesterday, with so much to do." "She couldn't, really; but she felt obliged to when she saw it advertised as a 'bargain matinee'."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

The Coinage of Words.—Editor—Mr. Blueprint, did you compose that heading with "suicided" in it?" Mr. Blueprint—"Yes, sir." Editor—"Well, you may go down and tell the cashier to 'salary' you. You are 'resigned'."—Syracuse Herald.

Boosting the Circulation.—An old gentleman when passing a little boy selling newspapers at the street corner, remarked: "Are you not afraid you will catch cold on such a wet night, my little man?" "Oh, no," replied the boy; "I'm selling newspapers to keep up the circulation, sir."—Lynn Item.

A Pertinent Query.—"So the doctor won't let you smoke, eh?" said Browne, as he applied a match to his weed. "Sorry for you, old man. I can't imagine any greater pleasure than a good cigar after dinner." "So?" replied Towne, sniffling, "then why do you deny yourself that pleasure?"—Philadelphia Press.

Mr. Dykes Height.—Is that dog yours smart?" Mr. Bay Ridge (proudly)—"Smart? Well, I should say so?" I was going out with him yesterday, and I stopped and said:

"Towser, we have forgotten something!" And, hanged if he didn't sit right down and scratch his head to see if he could think what it was"—Brooklyn Eagle.

### NOTES FROM HAZEL GREEN.

N. B. Graham, of Gilmore, has sold his farm.

B. W. Trimble, of Mt. Sterling, was in town last week.

Hazel Green Academy is very prosperous. There are now 90 boarders in town. The daily attendance is 195; the enrollment for the year has been 204 up to Monday of last week.

The funeral service [of] Chas. Swango was held on Tuesday morning at the Christian church. The attendance was large. The body was kept at the home of J. H. Pieratt until Wednesday morning, when it was taken to Mt. Sterling and temporarily placed in the vault. His father, G. B. Swango, had sold their home preparatory to leaving Hazel Green when the message was received telling of the death of his son. The plans of the family may be now changed.

### CLARK COUNTY ITEMS.

On account of ill health Mitchell Calmes has resigned as Chief of Police of Winchester and has left for Tucson, Arizona, where he will remain for an indefinite period.

Jesse Lipscomb, aged about thirty-five years, died suddenly of heart failure at his home, near Hunt.

A crop of tobacco, aggregating about 30,000 pounds, raised by the Thornton Brothers, was purchased last week for the Continental Tobacco Company, at eight cents per pound from the ground up.

It is said that E. B. Harris, publisher of the Envil County News, will shortly remove his plant from Irvine to Winchester and begin the publication of an independent newspaper at Winchester.

Mrs. J. W. Porter died at her home in Winchester Saturday night of pneumonia. She will be greatly missed in the community. A husband and ten children survive.

Jas. C. Lewis sold to Andy Hampson, of Indian Fields, 360 acres of land lying in Montgomery county, near the Clark county line, for \$50 per acre.

Harvey Rogers purchased of the heirs of Dr. John P. Wilson, deceased, 200 acres of land lying on the Harrods Creek pile.

### MADE A MAN OF HIM.

The Late John Sherman's Letter of Advice to a Young Man.

Ten years ago, when the late John Sherman was secretary of state, says Success in a recent issue, a young man, the son of one of Sherman's schoolmates, wrote to him for assistance. He said he had fallen so low in life that there was no place for him but the gutter; that existence had become a burden, and that he wanted to die. To-day, this same young man is a prosperous merchant in New York city. He says that his position is due to the advice given him by John Sherman, in answer to his letter. Success was given permission to publish the letter, which the owner guards more carefully than all his other possessions. Mr. Sherman wrote:

"You say that your life has been a failure, and that you are 30 years old, and ready to die. You say that you cannot find work, and that you see no hope in life. You say that your friends do not care to speak to you now."

"Let me tell you that you have reached that point in life when a man must see the very best prospects for his future career. You, at 30, stand on the bridge that divides youth and manhood. The one is dying, perhaps, and the other will soon burst, young and hopeful, from the ashes, and you will find in him a new being—a man. Do not let your discontent kill this new life, before it is born."

"Unless you are physically deformed, go to work. Go to any honest work, if it only brings you a dollar a day. Then learn to live within that dollar. Pay no more than cents for a meal and 20 cents for a bed, and save as much of the balance as you can, and with the same intensity as you would save your mother's life. Make the most of your appearance. Do not dress gaudily, but cleanly. Abandon liquor as you would abandon a pestilence, for liquor is the curse that wrecks more lives than all the horrors of the world combined."

"If you are a man of brains, as your letter leads me to believe you are, until you are in condition to seek your level, and then to seek it with courage and tenacity. It may take time to reach it; it may take years, but you will surely reach it—you will turn from the workman into the business man, or the professional man, with so much ease that you will marvel at it. But have one ideal, and aim for it. No ship ever reached its port by sailing for a dozen other ports at the same time."

"Be contented, for without contentment there is no love or friendship, and without those blessings life is, indeed, a hopeless case. Learn to love your books, for there is pleasure, instruction and friendship in books. Go to church for the church helps ease the pains of life. But never be a hypocrite; if you cannot believe in God, believe in your honor. Listen to music, whenever you can, for music charms the mind and fills a man with lofty ideals."

"Cheer up! Never want to die. Why I am twice your age, and over, and I do not want to die. Get into the world. Work, eat, sleep, read, and talk about the great events of the day, even if you are forced to go among laborers. Take the honest work you can get, and then be young and happy again."

JOHN SHERMAN.

### IT WAS A REVELATION.

An American Circus Was Received in Germany.

When a German circus has been visiting Germany, and our consul at Aix-la-Chapelle gives an interesting account of the way the Germans received the show. The bill posting was a revelation to them, both in magnitude and character. The way in which the tents were erected and the ground prepared astonished the people. When the circus itself arrived, not a workman went to the factories, and the spindles were idle all day. At every performance the tents were filled, and the vague antipathy against the United States has been turned into respect and awe. The people now consider that anything is possible to Americans. Our consul considers that if an agent of American goods would follow in the wake of the circus, he would make ready sales.

Herb Is a Warning.

When a woman caller begins the conversation by praising her hostess' cooking, the hostess should throw out a torpedo net; it means that she is to be asked to have a church social.

To Fine Job Work call at this office.

### GOOD SUBJECTS FOR CARTOONS

Public Men Who Have Suffered from the Caricature Artist.

If Mr. Hanna has suffered more from the cartoonists than other public men, it is because he was such an easy Mark," declares a New Orleans portrait painter, speaking to a Times-Democrat writer, of the way that successes of celebrities were distorted in political caricatures. "If, for one," he went on, "regard the Hanna cartoon as a positive work of genius. It doesn't resemble him in the least, and at the same time, is a striking likeness. The cartoon and the real man haven't a single feature in common, yet in some indescribable way they suggest each other irresistibly. You would say, at first blush, that such a thing is impossible; but did you ever happen to see yourself in a concave mirror? If you are fat, the thing makes you as thin as a picket; if you have a round, chubby face, you have lantern jaws in the reflection; if you are blessed with 'pop' eyes they suddenly become as narrow and oblique as a Chinaman's—a complete metamorphosis, yet the freak who confronts you in the glass is none the less your unmistakable twin. To do that sort of thing in pen and ink requires ability of a high order. In Mr. Hanna's case the figures that pass master for him in democratic cartoons not only had an uncanny likeness to the real man, but it went further and embodied the popular conception of ruthless bossism and the brutal power of money. It may have done Mr. Hanna a great injustice, but there is no denying its strength as an allegory, and I dare say it lost the republicans thousands of votes."

"The first prominent republican politician to be bluegowned very satisfactorily by the cartoonists was Roscoe Conkling," continued the portrait painter, reminiscing; "and his case was somewhat similar to Mr. Hanna's. He was really a handsome, aristocratic-looking man, but he had certain mannerisms that bordered on the grotesque; when slightly exaggerated, they easily served to render him ridiculous. One of them was his peculiar habit of throwing out his chest in debate, and thereby hangs a tale. At the time of his ascendancy Thomas Nass was the leading political cartoonist of the country, but being employed exclusively on a republican weekly, he was obliged to refrain from poking fun at the senator from New York. Frank Leslie, however, to do rivalry to Nass, found it necessary to import Matt Morgan from England for that purpose. When Morgan arrived he went to Washington to take a look at the men he would be expected to caricature, and happened to strike Conkling while he was in the act of making a speech. The artist was at once impressed by his 'chestiness' and proceeded to draw him as a pouter pigeon, which proved an immense popular hit. Even his best friends couldn't help laughing and were obliged to admit that there was something extremely suggestive of the senator in the preternatural solemnity of the bird, its protruding paunch and its strange, strutting walk. The character fit him so well that it was universally adopted by other artists, just as they recently adopted the Hanna type, and from that time on he invariably appeared in caricature as a pouter pigeon. Conking himself was furious, for his dignity was a very tender spot and he could never tolerate ridicule."

"The strangest part of it was his close resemblance to the absurd pictures in spite of his undeniably good looks. I remember seeing him at a reception in Chicago only a short time before his death. He was then getting on in years and his hair and beard were turning white, but he was still erect as a pine tree, and as he stood chatting with some gentlemen in a doorway I remarked to myself what a fine, impressive figure he made. Just then, however, some chance gesture recalled the familiar caricature, and for a fleeting moment he looked so much like a big pouter pigeon that I couldn't repress a smile. I am never able to recall him in any other role."

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### POSSESSED OF SOME HUMOR.

How Armand Grebaul Won a Bet by Making a Man Laugh.

—M. Admard Grebaul, president of the Paris municipal council, is a striking type of the French democrat. Some years ago he was an ardent supporter of Boulanger. Long brooding over the difficulties of creating a social position had impaired something lugubrious to his personality. He always dressed in black, his frock coat reaching almost to his heels. The Figaro man said that this coat and a pair of spats would make a shorter man a complete costume. Another feature was the high hat Grebaul wore. It was a poem in itself, he had a curious habit of brushing it with diverting frequency.

"One evening," writes a Paris correspondent of Mainly About People, "we were at the cafe, a dozen of us, drinking, smoking and gossiping as only Frenchmen can gossip. Suddenly Fernand Xau, the rotund, witty, jovial Gil Blas chronicler, who now directs Le Journal with such signal ability, noticing Grebaul's melancholy air, roared out:

"Grebaul, you are positively depressing. Come, cheer up. I'll give you five francs if you contrive to make me laugh."

The young fellow, accepting the challenge, promptly set to work and finally produced a short paragraph, which he read aloud. He read it in such comical tones and the story was so irresistibly dull that Xau was compelled to smile. When the climax was reached, he burst into a roar of laughter and exclaimed:

"You've won your bet. There's the money!"

And he drew from his pocket 100 francs in gold, which Grebaul promptly pocketed, after having ordered a round of expensive drinks.

Imitation Carpet of Stone.

Think of an imitation carpet made of stone! Some of the more recently erected houses in the German cities have steps made of artificial stone, and a design imitating a staircase carpet, of any desired color, is pressed into the steps when the material of which they are made is still soft. The figures penetrate to a considerable depth.

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for the slightest symptom of its

approach, I feel perfectly safe from this

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Mrs. M. Dooley, Mount Airy, Habersham County, Ga., in a recent letter says:

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doctor that was highly recommended,

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The peculiar ills to which women are subject are often very dangerous. It frequently happens that the victim suffers far from competent medical assistance. What

she is not wealthy enough to go to a city for treatment and cannot procure skillful assistance at home.

This is what she needs.

Smith took off his coat, his collar and necktie, rolled up his shirt-sleeves. They walked to the kitchen together, and Smith said:

"What shall I mix it?"

"Oh, you're doing it!" Mrs. Smith replied.

"Ah, this will do," he said, taking up a bowl. "Now bring me some water; now some raisins and currants, sugar and ginger and allspice. There, that will do." He put these into a bowl and mixed them with a spoon.

"They don't seem to stick together," he said. "Looks more like a thick soup than anything else. Fancy I've got too much water."

Smith drained off some of the water and was about to put the cake into a pan when his wife said:

" Didn't your mother use flour?"

"Oh, yes—yes—ah, yes—flour, of course!"

Then he mixed in flour until it was so stiff that he hardly knew it.

"Now," said he, "I'll take this round to the baker's and have it baked properly."

He started off, and when he reached the baker's he said:

"Will you just throw this stuff away and put it in place one of your best raisin cakes?"

That night at supper Mrs. Smith had their mother and sister with her. She had told them of the cake, and they were expecting great fun at Smith's expense.

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Congressman Levy, of New York, made the statement that Mr. Bryan had told him that if case he (Bryan) should be elected President he would find a way to pay the Gov-

ernment's obligations in silver.

#### HOW HE MADE HIS CAKE.

**The Man Who Ventured to Give His Wife a Lesson in Cooking.**

"Madam, you don't know how to make cake!" exclaimed Mr. Smith, throwing a lump of half-cooked dough across the room at the cat. "You never knew how to cook cake. I'd rather eat wet sawdust. You ought to have seen the cake my mother made—that was cake!"

"Your mother again—always your mother!" retorted Mrs. Smith. "Pity she didn't teach you something!"

"What do you mean, madam? I'll warrant I'll make better cake myself than you any day."

"Why don't you try? You'll find everything in the kitchen."

"Well, I can."

"Well, why don't you? You are all talk!"

Smith found himself cornered, and felt very uncomfortable, as he had either to surrender unconditionally or to make good his boast. He had never made a cake in his life, had no idea how cakes were compounded, but thought he knew what was in them.

"I'll make the cake," he said.

"Well, come into the kitchen and make it," proposed his wife.

"What now?"

"Yes, now. I'll get the things for you."

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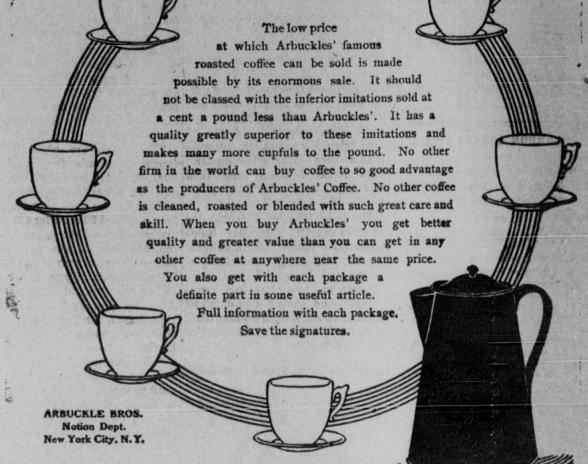
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**PERSONAL.**

John Roberts went to Flemingsburg Sunday.

Miss Anna Bush, of Kansas City, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Stella Cockrell is home from a visit to Flemingsburg.

Mrs. Wm. Scott, of Lexington, is visiting Mrs. Kae Smith.

W. F. Huber, of Savannah, Ga., arrived on a visit last night.

Miss Nancy Stephenson of Clark county, was in the city Saturday.

Miss Lura E. Hill, of Fayette, was with Mrs. Jno. G. Winn last Monday evening.

Miss Stella Freeman visited her cousin in Winchester Thursday and Friday.

Dr. J. W. Carter, of Texas, formerly of this county, visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McIntire, of Kansas, are the guests of the family of Mrs. J. B. W. Scobee.

Mrs. L. Peck, daughter and of Empire, Col., are visiting the family of Mrs. J. W. B. Scobee.

Mrs. Samuel Cosley, who has been with her daughter, Mrs. D. W. Bahr, returned home on Thursday.

We are pleased to say that Miss Mary Reid has significantly improved to return home from Louisville.

Miss Nora Daugherty, of Flemingsburg, who has been visiting Mrs. J. H. Wood, returned home Sunday.

Messrs. C. Rucker Adams and brother, P. F. Adams, are here getting up a class in Physical Education.

Miss Florence Arrowsmith, of Bethel, nursing her little niece, Calie Arrowsmith, who has typhoid fever. She lives with her aunt, Mrs. Roe Fenn, and.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pace, of Gibson City, Ill., who have been visiting relatives and friends in this and Clark counties for the past few weeks, leave today for Fair Grove, Ill., where they will spend a couple of weeks before returning home.

Mrs. T. G. Denton will leave this week for Nashville, Tenn., to visit her niece, Miss Mary E. Denton, who is attending Fisk College at that place. Miss Mary did not come home Christmas, but will come in June when the flowers are in bloom.

**Reunion.**

On January 10, 1901, after 38 years of separation the surviving children of Van S. McIntire—Mrs. J. W. B. Scobee, of this county; Mr. and Mrs. Howard McIntire, of Arkansas City, Kan.; and Mrs. F. L. Peck, daughter and son, of Empire, Col., met at the home of W. N. Scobee, who with his good wife received them with open arms and a hearty welcome. They returned to the old home of their childhood, New McIntire Ferry on Licking River, Bath county, and visited the old cemetery, and found the following inscription on the tombstone of their grandfather: "Maj. John McIntire, born March 3, 1760 and died March 26, 1826, age 66 years. He was one among the first settlers of Kentucky and for 14 years fought for the liberties of the country we now enjoy."

W. B. O'Connell has removed into of J. C. Thompson's cottages on Bay street.

**DEATHS.**

LILLARD.—J. H. Lillard, of Williamsburg, died on the 8th. He visited the family of El Bramble here last summer.

TROTTER.—Mrs. Mary Trotter, aged 82, died at her home in Millersburg on Wednesday.

MARTIN.—On Thursday T. P. Martin received a dispatch stating that his brother, R. M. Martin, of Louisville, had died in New York, where he was visiting with his family. He was a Colonel in Morgan's Command, and took part in the fight near this city in 1863.

BRANDS.—Mrs. Albert S. Brandis died in her home in Louisville Sunday morning. Her babe, which was born on Tuesday, died a few hours later. Her maiden name was Amy Thomas, a relative of Henry L. Stowe and wife. She has frequently visited in this city. Her many friends will regret to hear of her death.

SHUBERT.—Ben Shubert, aged twenty years, son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Shubert, of the Jester onville predicted Wednesday afternoon of present home. He was an excellent young man, honest, true, industrious. His parents, whose home has been visited twice by the Angel of Death in the past two months, have the deep sympathy of all in the loss of their promising young son. The funeral services were held Thursday afternoon, and burial in the family graveyard.

DAEY.—Miss Mary Allen Darby died of apoplexy on Sunday at New Britain, Conn. She was visiting Mrs. Fred Finch and was expecting to leave for her home in Lexington, Ky., on Sunday evening. Thos. D. Richardson will accompany the remains to Kentucky. Four years ago she was partially paralyzed. The deceased is well known in this city.

JONES.—George P. Jones died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Linn, at Bloomington, Ill., Tuesday morning, Jan. 8, 1901, after a few days sickness with grippe. He is the brother of James Jones, of this city, and has visited here several times with his nephew, T. D. Jones. He was born in this county Feb. 9, 1816, hence was 84 years, 10 months and 29 days old. In 1838 he married Elizabeth Marsh. He moved to Tattnall, Fla., in 1855. His wife died in 1886. Since February, 97, he has lived at Bloomington. He was an excellent old gentleman, an earnest Christian, much loved and respected. He was devoted to little children. He leaves three children. The generations are passing away. His brother is the only member of the family left. Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord.

**THE SICK.**

M. A. Scott continues critically ill. Roger, son of R. Q. Drake, is sick with measles.

Carroll Chenault, who has had grippe, is much improved.

W. T. Colvin, who has been very sick, is able to be out.

John P. Games is confined to his home on account of sickness.

C. W. Harris, who has been down with grippe, is able to be out.

Mrs. W. J. Bolin is sick with grippe and the children have measles.

Mrs. W. A. Sutton's condition is more favorable than last week.

Marion French has been laid up for a week with grippe, but is better.

Misses Harriet and Elizabeth Ainsworth are quite sick last week with grippe.

Mrs. Amanda Reid, who has been quite sick with grippe, is rapidly improving.

We regret to state that Mrs. J. H. Highland continues very sick at the home of her mother. She is not able to sit up.

W. R. Nunneley is away from his business on account of a severe attack of grippe. He hopes to be out by the middle of the week.

Spencer Cooper, editor of Hazel Green Herald, has been seriously ill for several days at St. Joseph's Hospital at Lexington.

**RELIGIOUS.**

Rev. T. B. Howe arrived Saturday and assumed his pastoral charge of the Owingsville Christian church. He preached two able sermons Sunday to the delight of his congregations. He is a young man of fine appearance and pleasing address.—Bath County Democrat.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the First Presbyterian church on next Sunday morning. Preparatory services on Wednesday evening.

R. R. Henry Miller having been granted a vacation will go to Virginia to be with his wife, who is at the bedside of his parents, Dr. W. M. McElveen and wife, who are very low.

There was no preaching at the Baptist church last Sunday on account of sickness of pastor Bolin.—Mr. Bolin is much improved.

The Men's Club of the First Presbyterian church will hold its monthly meeting at the home of Mr. Silas Stover of Frankfort evening at 7 o'clock.

Rev. Henry Miller is closing up his engagement as pastor of the Southern Presbyterian church of this city, preparatory to the employment of a young man to take charge and preach every Sunday. During Mr. Miller's pastorate of near two years, there have been 96 additions to the church here and at Springfield, with forty at the former, and 56 at the country church. Mr. Miller is arranging the Springfield, Hindston and Owingsville churches into a field which he will probably serve.

**NEW CENTURY LIGHTS AND SHADOWS.**

A series of Sunday evening sermons at the Baptist church was begun last Sunday evening by Pastor W. J. Bolin. The general subject for the series is New Century "Lights and Shadows." On last Sunday night the topic was "Home Lights and Shadows," to be followed by such themes as the following:

January 20.—Lights and Shadows of Youth.

January 27.—Lights and Shadows of Politics.

February 3.—Lights and Shadows of Church Life.

All are cordially invited to attend these services, especially the young people of the city urged to be present.

Prayer meeting topics at Baptist church for this year will be as follows:

**JANUARY.**

2. The 20th Century. Rev. 4:2.

3. The Vital Thing. Mk. 10:42.

16. The Key That Unlocks. Jno. 9:27.

23. A Parable of Hope. Mk. 4:26.

30. Help for the Helpless. Ps. 23:4.

**FEBRUARY.**

6. The Unseen Supply. Matt. 6:6.

13. Some Traits of Jesus. Heb. 6:12.

15. Magnanimity. Matt. 6:44.

27. Some Helpful Truths. Matt. 10:35.

**MARCH.**

3. The Great Barrier. Rom. 6:1.

10. A Great Memory. 2 Tim. 2:28.

17. The Revelation of Joy. Matt. 18:8.

24. Right Estimate of Self. Rom. 12:6.

**APRIL.**

1. Under the Eyes of Christ. Mk. 12:14.

8. The Guest at the Door. Rev. 3:20.

15. His Lifted Hands. Luke 24:50.

22. A Great Crisis. Jno. 6:5.

29. Ways of Transgression. Luke 10:15.

**JUNE.**

1. Deliverance From Evil. Matt. 6:13.

12. Ability for the Right. Mk. 3:25.

19. A Startling Object Lesson. Mk. 11:20.

26. Visions. Matt. 17:2.

**JULY.**

5. Deliverance From Evil. Matt. 6:13.

12. Ability for the Right. Mk. 3:25.

19. A Startling Object Lesson. Mk. 11:20.

**SEPTEMBER.**

3. Two Large Counties.

Cunning is about the poorest counterfeiter of wisdom.—Chicago Daily News.

**OCTOBER.**

Two Large Counties.

There are 23 counties in Montana,

three of which, Chouteau and Dawson,

on the Canadian border, and Custer

county, on the North Dakota border,

make up one-half of the area of the state.

**THE AUTOMOBILE.**

There Was One in Operation Before the Civil War.

"There is a general impression, I believe," said a middle-aged business man of this city, "that the automobile is a recent invention, and that the first machines ever put into practical service date back only a few years. That is a mistake. As far back as 1860, and maybe for a year or two before, an automobile was to be seen frequently on the pike between Washington and Harper's Ferry. I often had business taking me on horseback between these points at that period, and I will never forget my amazement the first time I ever saw the machine. It was built on the general model of a heavy dray, and the steam engine that supplied the power was located in the front part, with a driver's seat in the rear. The machinery was enclosed in a sheet iron case, and was controlled by three or four levers, which protruded through slits in the top. I soon scraped an acquaintance with the inventor, who was an elderly gentleman named Schrader, and found him a most interesting character. He had been a captain of engineers in the Austrian army, but retired on a small fortune and came to America to live. The construction of the automobile had been a matter of diversion with him, and he told me he had been studying the problem for ten or twelve years. When we became better acquainted, he showed me the working parts, and, while I am no mechanic, I remember that the apparatus impressed me as being remarkably simple. I am not certain what he used for fuel, but to the best of my recollection it was petroleum. The engine was connected with the rear wheels by a system of cogs, and the front wheels were used for steering. The water for the boiler was carried in a tank under the seat, and on one occasion it sprung a leak when the captain was taking me out for a ride, and we came to a sudden standstill in a lonely countryside, miles from the nearest settlement. After waiting several hours a farmer came along with an ox team, and we got him to tow us home. Schrader was greatly chagrined by the mishap, and I got no more invitations to join him. I think, however, that the machine was, on the whole, successful. The war came on shortly afterward, and I lost sight of the old gentleman, never to see him again. I heard, at the conclusion of peace, that he had entered the union service in some clerical capacity and died at Washington. What became of his queer automobile I don't know."—N. O. Times-Democrat.

**NOT WHAT SHE MEANT.**

Good Example of What One Would Rather Not Have Said.

"People are queer," remarked the woman opposite. "You know that black hat I bought to wear to Cousin Jim's funeral? I didn't go into regular mourning for him, you'll remember, but being a relative I simply had to wear all black to the funeral. So I ripped the gold braid off my black cheviot, ordered a small black turban and a crepe edged veil and looked as respectable as the rest of the family. The other day the woman who lives next door had a telegram that somebody or her had died up north, and that she must come on at once. That was about dinner time, and her train left at midnight. She couldn't get into any store at that time of night, and she knew that there would be nothing to buy in the little place to which she was going, so she came over to see if I could help her out. I brought out my mourning outfit, and she went off as delighted as one could be with such a lugubrious load. She came back a day or two ago, and yesterday she brought the turban and veil over."

"I've ever so much obliged," she said, "and I do hope that some time I'll be able to return your kindness."

"Now did you ever hear of a better example of the things one would rather not have said?"—Milwaukee Sentinel.

**The Man Who Is Rich.**

The man who has but little and wants less is richer than the man who has much and wants more.—Chicago Daily News.

**Has Lived In Three Centuries.**

James B. Ireland, who would have been one hundred and four years old next June, died on Sunday near Skillman, Ky. Until death came his mind was clear.

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July 15, 1890. Salem, Mass.

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If you have any complaint whatever and are not satisfied with the way you can possibly receive, write the doctor from whom you get your medicine, reply without cost. Address:

A. L. W., Lowell, Mass.

In the Henry Circuit Court at New Castle Garnet D. Ripley was fined \$50 for organizing a company of State Guards without the Governor's license. The other defendants were fined \$10 each. Ripley's company was one of the Republican companies organized during the Taylor regime at Frankfort.

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**HOW RUSSIA CORNERS SUGAR.**  
Government Limits the Production and Sets the Selling Price.

In an interesting article on this subject a writer in a recent Fortnightly Review says that each year the minister of finance fixes the amount of sugar which shall be produced in the empire and sets the price at which it shall be sold. The average domestic consumption is about 1,000,000,000 pounds. This is announced as the legal limit of production which shall be put upon the market during the year. In addition to this, it is allowed to manufacture 180,000,000 pounds more, which is placed in storage. The 1,000,000,000 pounds, as it is sold, pays an excise tax of 2 cents a pound. If at any time through increased demand sugar becomes worth more than the price fixed by the government, the 180,000,000 pounds in reserve are allowed to reach the market free of excise duty. If this does not supply the market at the legal price, the government itself will buy from foreign countries enough sugar to supply the need for a bear influence upon the price. This has been done by Russia twice during the past ten years. This system, of course, precludes any export business in sugar, but the Russian government does not believe that the exporting of sugar from Russia can be made profitable or advisable, so it does not encourage it.

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## LAC FOUND IN ASSAM.

And Exported to Various Countries in a Crude Form.

Lac occurs in its natural state in various parts of the forests of Assam, as well as of Burma, but chiefly in parts of the Khasi and Garo hills, and the export in recent years has averaged 16,000 mounds, or something over 500 tons, but in some of the forests, owing to the ravages of the kola-nar, epidemic and depopulation, the production is declining. The production in Manipur is not sufficient for the local needs, and quantities of the lac are sent from there to the Khuho valley to Assam. The lac is all sent away from Assam in the crude form, or stick lac; shell and button lac are made to some extent, but lac dye is now prepared anywhere in Assam, and lacquer wares are only produced in two places, so that this once considerable industry would seem to be dying out. The black lacquer of Manipur, says the London Mail, is really not a lac preparation at all, but only the juice of a tree sent from the Khuho valley.

In Assam the lac is usually collected twice a year, first in May and June and then in October and November. The first is mainly used for seed purposes, while the second forms the export. A few days after the collection pieces of stick lac containing living insects are tied on to the branches of the trees on which the next crop is to be grown. The usual plan is to place the lac in small bamboo baskets and tie them on the twigs of the trees. The insects soon crawl out and spread over the young branches, on which they promptly begin to feed and secrete the resin. This is allowed to go on for about six months, when the lac is collected; but if the secretion has been defective or insufficient the insects remain undisturbed for another six months.

## ONE ROUND OF COAL.

Some Interesting Comparisons Showing the Great Energy Hidden Within A Single Pound of Coal is capable of producing 236 horse power, and could do the work of an express locomotive for one-fifth of a minute. In other words, it is enough to haul a train of eight cars, including the Pullman sleeping and dining cars, at the rate of 50 miles an hour one-sixth of a mile.

In sawing wood a man may work at the rate of about 60 strokes a minute, and his saw blade may have progressed five feet a minute, but a circular saw driven by machinery will cut seven times as much wood in the same time. And yet this one little lump of coal contains enough power for 108 such saws.

Can easily compare the power locked in this black diamond with the work of a strong man. The strength of a man may be reckoned at one-tenth of a horse power. Allow him eight working hours, equal to 80 minutes. During this time he occasionally stops for short rests, to change his position, to pick up another tool, to judge the result of his work and plan for further procedure. This will take one-tenth of the time, leaving 42 minutes, which, at one-tenth of a horse power, gives him a total effect of 43 1/2 horse power as the result of his day's labor. This pound of coal contains more than sufficient power to do in one minute the work of five such men. Or it would take about 9,600 strong men, working steadily side by side, to do jointly as much work in one minute as man has locked up for us, ready at our call, in a single pound of coal—American Boy.

## A LITTLE FABLE.

**Why the Beautiful Young Lady Broke Off the Engagement.**

A beautiful young lady, being engaged to a handsome young man, sought to Reform him.

"I observe," she said, "that you are Addicted to the Foolish Habit of Smoking. Do you not think you should Stop it? It would be so much Better for you if you did. Besides, you would save Money."

"Yes, indeed," replied the handsome young man. "And I Perceive that you are a Slave to the Chocolate Caramel Habit, which is not only Hurtious to the Digestion, but Excessive. Don't you Think you Should Stop it, also?"

Whereupon she Wept and said he was a Hateful thing, and broke the Engagement.

Moral—it is not Always the largest Feet that are Pinched the Most.—Josh Wink, in Baltimore America.

## THE FAD FOR BRASS BUTTONS.

Is Reviving All But Lost Art of Casting and Burnishing

What has come to be almost a lost art is being revived by the feminine fad for brass buttons. A generation ago, when brass buttons were worn so extensively, there was in Connecticut, where most of them were made, an army of men and women skilled, respectively, as hand burnishers and chasers. The men, using tools pointed with a very hard stone imported from England and known as burnishing stones, gave to the brass buttons, already shaped and gilded, a polish like that of gold. Young women with deft touch chased on the highly polished surface dainty traceries of conventional sorts, the result being very showy buttons. These have been missing from the markets for about 25 years, and the art of making them has been almost forgotten. A few women found employment as chasers in the works of the silver-plated goods manufacturers in and around Waterbury, Meriden and Hartford, but there was no place for button chasers. Expert button burnishers of the old days have almost all gone from this earth. Now that the demand for the old fashion has come again, the button factories in Waterbury, where most of these ornaments are made, says the New York Times, have had to teach a new lot of workers the well-nigh lost arts of both chasing and burnishing. A recent visitor to "the brass city," to see about securing a lot of the fashionable buttons, said the demand for workers had brought to the busy factories there a lot of gray-haired men and women, whose factory working days had long since passed. They had to be pressed into service at fancy prices to supply the demand for such workers as were needed and to teach young men and women the tricks of the trade. So very fickle is fashion as to the minor details of dress, that manufacturers there have to face a new problem—whether it is worth while to teach chasing and burnishing to young hands or to temporarily rob the silver workers and goldsmiths of their help at fancy prices to eke out the passing craze. Should the button craze die out, there would be no help for the newly trained help. If it lasts, there will be need for all the help that can be obtained. So the manufacturers are waiting for some decision by the leaders of the monde as to whether brass and gilt are to continue as fashionable adornments.

**JAPANESE POLICEMEN.**  
Curious Instructions One Native Chief Found It Necessary to Issue.  
The chief of police of a Japanese city recently issued the following orders to his subordinates:  
"First—it is a principle of international association that foreigners should be treated in a friendly and polite manner, an that civilized peoples should dwell together in amity. As many foreigners understand Japanese, it is better, first, to address them politely in that language. Never use unpleasant words and do not criticize the clothes, gestures or actions of foreigners. They may understand such criticisms, even if they do not speak Japanese. Endeavor to prevent any discourtesy to foreigners who are making purchases, and do not let people throng about and stare at them."  
"Second—Foreigners treat their dogs better than we can imagine, so if a dog is lost it should be sought for and handled carefully. If a house dog barks at you, call the servant and ask him to quiet the animal, but do not hit it treat it."  
"Third—Do not call on a foreigner unless it is absolutely necessary, early in the morning, at dinner time or late at night. The best hours for calling are from nine to 12 and from two to six. Look well to your dress, and be careful to avoid errors in speech and conduct. Apply for admission by pulling the bell or striking the gong on the door for this purpose. If there is neither bell nor gong, tap on the door with your finger. Never call out loudly for admission."

"Fourth—When the porter opens the door for you, if the gentleman is at home, and send in your card. Before you enter the house, wipe your feet on the mat."  
"Fifth—Greet a foreigner with a simple bow, and do not offer to shake hands unless he does so first."  
"Sixth—Always, before making a call, brush your hair and beard. Soiled clothing and unkempt beards are regarded in civilized countries as insults."

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